# Vienna Instruments Solo Download Instruments Bass Saxophone Full Library

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# Introduction

Welcome to the Vienna Symphonic Library, and thank you for purchasing one of our Solo Download Instruments! This document contains the mapping information for the "Full" version of the Vienna Instruments Bass Saxophone. You will find in it a comprehensive survey of the articulations/Patches content, a listing of abbreviations, and the mapping list proper which gives details for every Patch, Matrix, and Preset.

## "Full" Library

As opposed to the "Standard" versions of our Solo Download Instruments, the "Full" versions are identical with the corresponding instruments of a DVD Collection, i.e., they contain exactly the same samples, Patches, Matrices and Presets as the latter without any restrictions.

Installing a Download Instrument's Full version copies that instrument's sample content to a separate folder on your hard disk, so that it is not necessary to keep its Standard version installed – you may either delete it from your hard disk or at least remove it from the Directory Manager's list of activated instruments. In the Vienna Instruments Browser, the path of the Full version will be the same as that of the corresponding DVD Instrument, so that you can still see both versions as separate entries if you keep the Standard version installed.

### **Data paths and Patch name conventions**

Since the Full versions of Download Instruments conform to the corresponding DVD Instruments, the data paths in your Vienna Instruments browser will be different than those of Standard Download or Special Edition Instruments. For instance, the path of the Standard Download Library of Flute 1 is "02D Flute-1", and all Patches can be found in this folder regardless of the articulation group they belong to. The Patch number is also marked with a "D" so that you immediately know it is a Download Instrument. In the Vienna Special Edition, Flute 1 is located in the folder "11 Flutes" together with the other flutes. Here, the Patch number is marked with an "S". The Full Download of Flute 1 is located in the subfolder "32 Flute" of the section "Woodwind Patches", which again contains subfolders grouping the Patches according to type, e.g., "01 SHORT + LONG NOTES", "02 DYNAMICS", etc. Patch names of the Full Download Library may differ from the corresponding ones of the Standard Download Library.

While Full Download Instruments contain all articulations of the corresponding DVD Instruments, their Patches are not divided into Standard and Extended content. The list of articulations further down which gives a summary of the Library's contents.

Special Patch configurations which sometimes are part of a Standard Download Instrument may be found in a reserved folder called "98 RESOURCES" in the Full Instrument. E.g., Flute 1 Standard contains the Patch "22D FL1 legato-sus"; in Flute 1 Full, this Patch is called "01 FL1\_perf\_leg\_sustain" and is located in the Resources' subfolder "03 Perf Speed variation". (Apart from that, it also contains more samples.) Other articulations that can be found in the Resources folder are isolated dynamics repetitions in the subfolder "01 Perf Rep dyn" – e.g., the five repetitions of a legato crescendo, divided into separate Patches – and extracted velocity layers of sustained notes in the subfolder "02 Long Notes – Single Layer".

### Patch information

The Patch information includes articulation type, playing range, number of samples used, RAM requirements, the number of velocity layers and alternations, AB switching possibilities, etc., as well as Patch specific information if necessary. Where the type of articulation requires a special mapping (e.g., natural harmonics patches), the mapping layout will be shown in a detailed graphic.

**Major and minor runs** are always mapped to the keys of their scale, as are **arpeggios** to the keys of the broken chord played. **Grace notes** and **mordents** are mapped to their target note, i.e., the note the articulation ends with. Due to their nature, all **upward and downward articulations** (e.g., fixed glissandos and octave runs) have different mapping ranges – the upward movements ending the involved interval below the Patch's upper mapping range, while downward movements end the interval above its lower mapping range. (Please note that not all of the articulations mentioned above may be contained in your Collection.)

The Patch information also lists a Patch's velocity layers in detail. Velocity layer switches generally are the same for patches with the same number of layers but may occasionally be adapted to the instrument's requirements:

Layers	Layer 1	Layer 2	Layer 3	Layer 4	Layer 5	Layer 6
2	1–88	89–127				
3	1–55	56–88	89–127			
4	1–55	56–88	89–108	109-127		
5	1–24	25–55	56–88	89–108	109–127	
6	1–24	25–55	56–88	89–108	109–118	119–127

### Interval performances

Interval performances are one of the outstanding features of our Vienna Instruments. They allow you to play authentic legato without any programming tricks. In our Silent Stage, all intervals from minor second to the octave were recorded for every instrument – up and down, of course; that makes 24 interval samples per note for one velocity alone! When you load an interval performance Patch and play a line on your keyboard, the software automatically joins the right samples with their interval transitions again, and you hear a perfect legato. By the way, this technique is not only used for legato but also for other articulations like the strings' portamento, marcato, or détaché and spiccato articulations.

Interval performances also contain at least two legato repetitions for every note which alternate automatically whenever you strike a key more than once. There also are preconfigured thresholds for legato and repetition notes: The legato threshold – i.e., the maximum break between notes where legato is played – is 50 ms. Otherwise, a sustained starting note will sound so that you can easily start a new phrase without leaving the legato Patch. For note repetitions, the threshold is 200 ms: a break up to that duration will yield a legato repetition; if the break is longer, a new starting note. But of course, it's mingling legato with other articulations which makes a piece really come alive.

Due to their nature, all interval performances are monophonic; otherwise, the software would have to be able to decide which source note belongs to which target note. To circumvent this, you can open two VI instances of the same instrument on separate MIDI tracks without any additional strain on your RAM.

Note: the Vienna Instruments PRO player software also allows you to play polyphonic Interval performances.

Another variety of interval performance you will come across is the "perf-leg\_sus" Patch. These Patches also contain normal legatos, only the target note of each interval is crossfaded into a looped sustain. They can be used for slower pieces with long notes; however, you should use them with circumspection, since plain legatos sound more lively because they not only render the interval transitions as they were played, but also have different target samples for every interval instead of the same sustained note: When you play, e.g., c-e and then c#-e with normal legato, you will get two different "e" tones; with sus-legato you won't.

# **Matrix** information

Each Matrix listing contains information regarding the Patches used for the Matrix, the number of horizontal and vertical dimensions, and switching properties. A mapping table shows the Cell positions for each of the Matrix' Patches.

**A/B switching** normally is set to A0 for upward/crescendo, and B0 for downward/diminuendo. However, some bass instruments go below that range so that the A/B keys have to be adapted accordingly. For example, the A/B switches for double bass are A0 and A#0 because the instrument's lower range extends to B0.

In order to facilitate working with **MIDI controller switches** like the Modulation wheel, the switching positions are not distributed equally across the controller range if they control more than two Matrix rows or columns; generally, the switching range will be narrower at the extreme positions because they are easy to set, and wider in the middle where it is harder to find the desired setting.

**Speed controller switches** naturally are adjusted to the Patches involved, and have been tested carefully as to their playability. However, if you find that they do not fit your playing, or want to try out other settings, you can change this as well as any other controller's settings at the **Control edit** page, and save the result in your Custom Matrix folder.

### **Preset information**

The Preset information lists the Matrices used in the Preset as well as its keyswitches. All other information can be gathered from the Matrix and Patch listings, so there's not really much to say here. Please note that the Matrices of a Preset can also be switched with MIDI Program Changes (VI: 101–112; VI PRO: 1–127) instead of keyboard notes, and if you like to keep your keyboard free for playing instead of switching, you can disable Preset keyswitching and only use MIDI Program Changes. Vienna Instruments PRO also allows you to define a MIDI Control for Preset keyswitching.

### **Abbreviations**

Here's a list of abbreviations in Patch names, which will help you to determine a Patch's content even without the help of the Vienna Instruments browser. Please note that not all of the abbreviations may occur in the manual on hand.

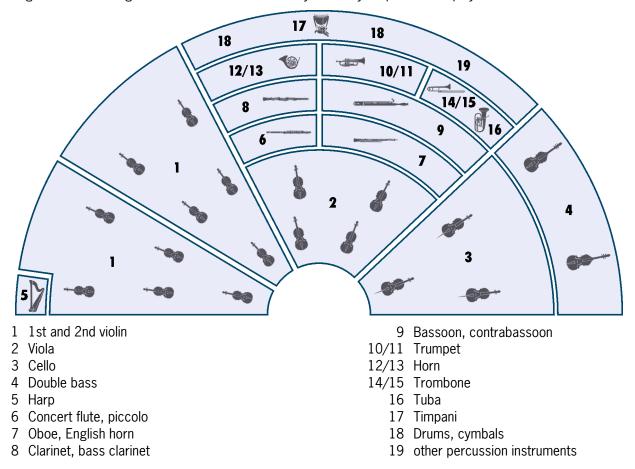
Abbreviation	Meaning	<b>Abbreviation</b>	Meaning
150, 160,	150, 160, BPM (beats per minute)	lo	long
1s, 2s,	tone length 1 sec., 2 sec.,	marc	marcato
acc	accelerando	me	medium
all	combination of all Patches of a	mi	minor
	category	noVib	without vibrato
cre	crescendo	perf-rep	repetition performance
dim	diminuendo	por	portato
dyn	dynamics (crescendo and	run	octave run
	diminuendo)	sl	slow
dyn5, dyn9	dynamics, 5/9 repetitions	sta, stac	staccato
fa	fast	str	strong
fast-rep	fast repetitions	SUS	sustained
flatter	flutter tonguing	Vib	with (medium) vibrato
fx	effect sound	Vib-progr	progressive vibrato
gliss	glissando	XF	cell crossfade Matrix
leg	legato		

# **Articulations**

74 Bass Sax	
01 SHORT + LONG NOTES	Staccato
	Portato short and medium
	Slap
	Sustained with vibrato
	Short and long bends
02 DYNAMICS	Medium dynamics with vibrato, 4 and 5 sec.
	Strong dynamics with vibrato, 3/4/5 sec.
	Medium dynamics without vibrato, 1.5/2/3 sec.
	Crescendo-diminuendo with vibrato, 3 and 5 sec.
	Fortepiano and sforzato, with and without vibrato
03 FLATTER + TRILLS	Flutter tonguing, crescendo
	Trills normal and accelerando, minor and major 2nd
	Dynamics for all trills
10 PERF INTERVAL	Legato with vibrato
	Grace notes, minor 2nd to octave
	Glissandos, up, minor 2nd to octave
	Marcato
11 PERF INTERVAL FAST	Legato
	Marcato
12 PERF TRILL	Trills, legato, minor to major 2nd
13 PERF REPETITION	Legato
	Portato
	Staccato
	Dynamics for all repetitions
14 GRACE NOTES	Grace notes
	Minor 2nd to octave
	Up and down
15 SCALE RUNS	Octave runs
	Legato, chromatic and whole tone
	Up and down
16 BENDS DOWN	Sustained with normal and progressive vibrato
	Sustained, "dirty"
	Legato with vibrato, grace notes, portamento, glissando up, marcato interval
	performances
	Performance trills

### The orchestra

There are several ways of setting up an orchestra, depending on the era of the piece played, the type of the piece and the instruments it requires, and even on the preference of the conductor. The figure below shows one of the more common setups, which can be taken as a guideline for mixing a composition, properly positioning the instruments in the stereo field and adding reverb according to the size of the concert hall you want your piece to be played in.



### **Pitch**

For designating pitch, the Vienna Symphonic Library uses International Pitch Notation (IPN), which was agreed upon internationally under the auspices of the Acoustical Society of America. In this system the international standard of A=440 Hz is called A4 and middle C is C4. All pitches are written as capital letters, their respective octave being indicated by a number next to it. The lowest C on the piano is C1 (the A below that is A0), etc.

You can tune your Vienna Instruments to other players, or adjust it to tunings of earlier musical periods by setting the Perform page's Master Tune option within a range of 420 to 460 Hz.

# 74 Bass Sax

# **Patches**

01 SHORT + LONG NOTES	Range: G1-C#4		0
01 SX-Bs_staccato Staccato		Samples: 180	RAM: 11 MB
3 velocity layers 4 Alternations			
02 SX-Bs_portato_short		Samples: 180	RAM: 11 MB
Portato, short			
3 velocity layers			
4 Alternations			
03 SX-Bs_portato_medium		Samples: 180	RAM: 11 MB
Portato, medium			
3 velocity layers			
4 Alternations			
04 SX-Bs_slap	Range: G1-C#3	Samples: 68	RAM: 4 MB
Slap			
2 velocity layers			
2 Alternations			
11 SX-Bs_sus_Vib	Range: G1-C4	Samples: 90	RAM: 5 MB
Sustained, with vibrato			
3 velocity layers			
Release samples			
21 SX-Bs_bend		Samples: 60	RAM: 3 MB
Short and long downward bends			
The longer bends have a glissando-like quality			
2 velocity layers			
AD '1			

AB switch: bend short/long

RAM: 3 MB

RAM: 3 MB

RAM: 1 MB

RAM: 1 MB

RAM: 1 MB

RAM: 3 MB

RAM: 3 MB

RAM: 3 MB

RAM: 1 MB

RAM: 1 MB

Samples: 60

Samples: 60

Samples: 30

Samples: 30

Samples: 30

Samples: 60

Samples: 60

Samples: 60

Samples: 30

Samples: 30

02 DYNAMICS Range: G1-C4

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01 SX-Bs\_dyn-me\_Vib\_4s

Medium crescendo and diminuendo with vibrato, 4 sec.

2 velocity layers

AB switch: crescendo/diminuendo

02 SX-Bs\_dyn-me\_Vib\_5s

Medium crescendo and diminuendo with vibrato, 5 sec.

2 velocity layers

AB switch: crescendo/diminuendo

11 SX-Bs\_dyn-str\_Vib\_3s

Strong crescendo and diminuendo with vibrato, 3 sec.

1 velocity layer

AB switch: crescendo/diminuendo

12 SX-Bs\_dyn-str\_Vib\_4s

Strong crescendo and diminuendo with vibrato, 4 sec.

1 velocity layer

AB switch: crescendo/diminuendo

13 SX-Bs\_dyn-str\_Vib\_5s

Strong crescendo and diminuendo with vibrato, 5 sec.

1 velocity layer

AB switch: crescendo/diminuendo

21 SX-Bs\_dyn-me\_noVib\_1'5s

Medium crescendo and diminuendo without vibrato, 1.5 sec.

2 velocity layers

AB switch: crescendo/diminuendo

22 SX-Bs\_dyn-me\_noVib\_2s

2 velocity layers

AB switch: crescendo/diminuendo

23 SX-Bs\_dyn-me\_noVib\_3s

Medium crescendo and diminuendo without vibrato, 3 sec.

Medium crescendo and diminuendo without vibrato, 2 sec.

2 velocity layers

AB switch: crescendo/diminuendo

31 SX-Bs\_pfp\_Vib\_3s

Crescendo-diminuendo with vibrato, 3 sec.

2 velocity layers

32 SX-Bs\_pfp\_Vib\_5s

Crescendo-diminuendo with vibrato, 5 sec.

2 velocity layers

41 SX-Bs fp Vib Samples: 15 RAM: 1 MB Fortepiano, with vibrato 1 velocity layer 42 SX-Bs sfz Vib Samples: 15 RAM: 1 MB Sforzato, with vibrato 1 velocity layer 51 SX-Bs\_fp\_noVib Samples: 15 RAM: 1 MB Fortepiano, without vibrato 1 velocity layer 52 SX-Bs\_sfz\_noVib Samples: 15 RAM: 1 MB

03 FLATTER + TRILLS Range: G1-A#3 Range: G1-C4 Samples: 29 01 SX-Bs\_flatter\_cre RAM: 1 MB Flutter tonguing, crescendo 1 velocity layer 11 SX-Bs\_trill\_1 Samples: 56 RAM: 3 MB Trills, minor 2nd 2 velocity layers Release samples 12 SX-Bs\_trill\_2 Samples: 56 RAM: 3 MB Trills, major 2nd 2 velocity layers Release samples 13 SX-Bs\_trill\_1\_dyn Samples: 28 RAM: 1 MB Trills, crescendo and diminuendo, minor 2nd 1 velocity layer AB switch: crescendo/diminuendo 14 SX-Bs trill 2 dyn Samples: 28 RAM: 1 MB Trills, crescendo and diminuendo, major 2nd 1 velocity layer AB switch: crescendo/diminuendo 15 SX-Bs\_trill\_1\_acc Samples: 56 RAM: 3 MB Trills accelerando, minor 2nd 2 velocity layers Release samples 16 SX-Bs\_trill\_2\_acc Samples: 58 RAM: 3 MB Trills accelerando, major 2nd

2 velocity layers Release samples

Sforzato, without vibrato

1 velocity layer

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17 SX-Bs trill 1 acc-dyn

Trills accelerando, crescendo and diminuendo, minor 2nd

1 velocity layer

AB switch: crescendo/diminuendo

18 SX-Bs trill 2 acc-dyn

Trills accelerando, crescendo and diminuendo, major 2nd

1 velocity layer

AB switch: crescendo/diminuendo

Samples: 28

Samples: 28

RAM: 1 MB

RAM: 1 MB

10 PERF INTERVAL

Range: G1-C4

01 SX-Bs\_perf-legato\_Vib

Legato, with vibrato

Monophonic

1 velocity layer

Release samples

02 SX-Bs\_perf-legato\_grace

Grace notes, legato, minor 2nd to octave

Monophonic

2 velocity layers

Release samples

03 SX-Bs\_perf-legato\_gliss-up

Glissandos, upward, minor 2nd to octave

Monophonic

1 velocity layer

Release samples

04 SX-Bs perf-marcato

Marcato

Monophonic

1 velocity layer

Release samples

Samples: 349

**RAM: 21 MB** 

Samples: 698

**RAM: 43 MB** 

Samples: 278

**RAM: 17 MB** 

Samples: 349

Samples: 754

Samples: 506

**RAM: 21 MB** 

11 PERF INTERVAL FAST

Range: G1-C4



**RAM: 47 MB** 

**RAM: 31 MB** 

01 SX-Bs\_perf-legato\_fa

Interval performances: Legato, fast

Monophonic

2 velocity layers

Release samples

02 SX-Bs\_perf-marcato\_fa

Interval performances: Marcato, fast

Monophonic

1 velocity layer

Release samples

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Samples: 1198

12 PERF TRILL Range: G1–C4

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**RAM: 74 MB** 

01 SX-Bs\_perf-trill

Performance trills, legato, minor to major 2nd

Monophonic

2 velocity layers

Release samples

13 PERF REPETITION	Range: G1–C4		
O1 SX-Bs_perf-rep_leg Repetition performances: Legato 2 velocity layers		Samples: 150	RAM: 9 MB
<b>02 SX-Bs_perf-rep_por</b> Repetition performances: Portato 2 velocity layers		Samples: 270	RAM: 16 MB
<b>03 SX-Bs_perf-rep_sta</b> Repetition performances: Staccato 2 velocity layers		Samples: 270	RAM: 16 MB
21 SX-Bs_perf-rep_dyn5_leg Repetition performances: Legato dynamics, 5 1 velocity layer AB switch: crescendo/diminuendo	repetitions	Samples: 150	RAM: 9 MB
<b>22 SX-Bs_perf-rep_dyn9_por</b> Repetition performances: Portato dynamics, 9 1 velocity layer AB switch: crescendo/diminuendo	repetitions	Samples: 270	RAM: 16 MB
23 SX-Bs_perf-rep_dyn9_sta		Samples: 270	RAM: 16 MB

1 velocity layer

AB switch: crescendo/diminuendo

Repetition performances: Staccato dynamics, 9 repetitions

### **14 GRACE NOTES**



The samples are mapped to their target notes.

**01 SX-Bs\_grace-1** Grace notes, minor 2nd

2 velocity layers Release samples AB switch: up/down Range: G1-B3

Samples: 86

RAM: 5 MB

02 SX-Bs grace-2

Grace notes, major 2nd 2 velocity layers Release samples AB switch: up/down Range: G1-C4

Samples: 86

RAM: 5 MB

03 SX-Bs\_grace-3

Grace notes, minor 3rd 2 velocity layers Release samples AB switch: up/down Range: G1-B3

Samples: 82

RAM: 5 MB

04 SX-Bs\_grace-4

Grace notes, major 3rd 2 velocity layers Release samples AB switch: up/down Range: G1-C4

Samples: 82

RAM: 5 MB

05 SX-Bs\_grace-5

Grace notes, 4th 2 velocity layers Release samples AB switch: up/down Range: G1-B3

Samples: 78

RAM: 4 MB

06 SX-Bs\_grace-6

Grace notes, diminished 5th

2 velocity layers Release samples AB switch: up/down Range: G1-C4

Samples: 78

RAM: 4 MB

07 SX-Bs\_grace-7

Grace notes, 5th 2 velocity layers Release samples AB switch: up/down Range: G1-B3

Samples: 74

RAM: 4 MB

08 SX-Bs grace-8

Grace notes, minor 6th 2 velocity layers Release samples AB switch: up/down Range: G1-C4

Samples: 74

RAM: 4 MB

**09 SX-Bs\_grace-9**Grace notes, major 6th 2 velocity layers
Release samples
AB switch: up/down

Range: G1-B3

Samples: 70

RAM: 4 MB

10 SX-Bs grace-10

Grace notes, minor 7th 2 velocity layers Release samples

AB switch: up/down

11 SX-Bs\_grace-11

Grace notes, major 7th 2 velocity layers Release samples AB switch: up/down Range: G1-B3

Range: G1-C4

Samples: 66

Samples: 70

RAM: 4 MB

RAM: 4 MB

12 SX-Bs\_grace-12

Grace notes, octave 2 velocity layers Release samples AB switch: up/down Range: G1-C4

Samples: 66

RAM: 4 MB

**15 SCALE RUNS** 

Range: G1-C4

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01 SX-Bs run-leg chromatic

Octave runs, legato Chromatic 1 velocity layer AB switch: up/down Samples: 18

RAM: 1 MB

02 SX-Bs run-leg whole

Octave runs, legato Whole tone 1 velocity layer AB switch: up/down Samples: 18

RAM: 1 MB

RAM: 6 MB

**RAM: 24 MB** 

**RAM: 45 MB** 

**RAM: 19 MB** 

RAM: 24 MB

**RAM: 76 MB** 

Samples: 105

Samples: 394

Samples: 728

Samples: 308

Samples: 394

Samples: 1228

16 BENDS DOWN Range: G1-C4



01 SX-Bs\_sus\_Vib\_bend

Single notes: Sustained, vibrato, with bend release

3 velocity layers Release samples

AB switch: bend short/long

11 SX-Bs\_perf-legato\_Vib\_bend

Interval performances: Legato, with vibrato, with bend release

1 velocity layer Release samples

AB switch: bend short/long

12 SX-Bs\_perf-legato\_grace\_bend

Interval performances: Grace notes, legato, minor 2nd to octave, with bend release

2 velocity layers Release samples

AB switch: bend short/long

13 SX-Bs\_perf\_gliss-up\_bend

Interval performances: Glissandos, upward, minor 2nd to octave, with bend release

1 velocity layer Release samples

AB switch: bend short/long

14 SX-Bs\_perf-marcato\_bend

Interval performances: Marcato, with bend release

1 velocity layer Release samples

AB switch: bend short/long

21 SX-Bs\_perf-trill\_bend

Multi interval performances: Performance trills, legato, minor to major 2nd, with bend release

2 velocity layers Release samples

AB switch: bend short/long

### 98 RESOURCES

Isolated dynamics repetitions: Legato, portato, staccato

Single layer long notes

Legato with sustain crossfading

### Range: G1-C4 01 Perf Rep dyn 01 SX-Bs rep cre5 leg-1 (2/3/4/5) Samples: 15 RAM: 1 MB Extracted repetition Legato, crescendo, 1st to 5th note 1 velocity layer 01 SX-Bs\_rep\_dim5\_leg-1 (2/3/4/5) Samples: 15 RAM: 1 MB Extracted repetition Legato, diminuendo, 1st to 5th note 1 velocity layer 02 SX-Bs\_rep\_cre9\_por-1 (2/3/4/5/6/7/8/9) Samples: 15 RAM: 1 MB Extracted repetition Portato, crescendo, 1st to 9th note 1 velocity layer 02 SX-Bs\_rep\_dim9\_por-1 (2/3/4/5/6/7/8/9) RAM: 1 MB Samples: 15 Extracted repetition Portato, diminuendo, 1st to 9th note 1 velocity layer 03 SX-Bs\_rep\_cre9\_sta-1 (2/3/4/5/6/7/8/9) Samples: 15 RAM: 1 MB Extracted repetition Staccato, crescendo, 1st to 9th note 1 velocity layer 03 SX-Bs\_rep\_dim9\_sta-1 (2/3/4/5/6/7/8/9) Samples: 15 RAM: 1 MB Extracted repetition Staccato, diminuendo, 1st to 9th note 1 velocity layer

02 Long Notes - Single Layer Range: G1-C4

01 SX-Bs\_sus\_p Sustained, piano 1 velocity layer

Release samples

02 SX-Bs sus mf Sustained, mezzoforte

1 velocity layer

Release samples

RAM: 1 MB

RAM: 1 MB

Samples: 30

Samples: 30

03 SX-Bs\_sus\_f

Sustained, forte 1 velocity layer

Release samples

Samples: 30

Samples: 394

RAM: 1 MB

03 Perf Speed variation

Range: G1-C4



**RAM: 24 MB** 

01 SX-Bs\_perf-leg\_sustain

Interval performances: Legato with sustain crossfading

1 velocity layer Release samples

### 99 RELEASE

This section contains release samples for various patches of the other sections. Please do not try to load them into a Vienna Instruments matrix – you will not be able to hear anything when you try to play them.

**RAM: 44 MB** 

**RAM: 75 MB** 

**RAM: 43 MB** 

**RAM: 106 MB** 

Samples: 712

Samples: 1208

Samples: 690

Samples: 1702

### **Matrices**

### Matrix - LEVEL 1

### L1 SX-Bs Articulation Combi

Single notes

Staccato, portato short, sustained with and without vibrato normal and with bends, crescendo-diminuendo with vibrato 3 and 5 sec., fortepiano and sforzato with vibrato, trills half and whole tone

**Matrix switches:** Horizontal: Keyswitches, C6–F6

Vertical: Modwheel, 2 zones

	C6	C#6	D6	D#6	E6	F6
V1	stac	sus vib.	sus vib. bend	pfp vib. 3s.	fp vib.	trill half
V2	port. short	sus no vib.	sus no vib. bend	pfp vib. 5s.	sfz vib.	trill whole

### L1 SX-Bs Perf-Legato Speed

Performance legato with vibrato and sustain crossfading, with vibrato, and fast Performance legato with vibrato and bend release Speed controller

**Matrix switches:** Horizontal: Speed, 3 zones

Vertical: Modwheel, 2 zones

	H1	H2	H3
legato normal	vib. sustain XF	vib. normal	fast
legato bend	%	%	%

### L1 SX-Bs Perf-Repetitions Combi

Repetition performances Legato, portato, staccato

**Matrix switches:** Vertical: Modwheel, 3 zones

	repetitions	
V1	legato	
V2	portato	
V3	staccato	

### Matrix - LEVEL 2 A - Advanced

### 01 SX-Bs Perf-Universal

Interval performances Legato vibrato with sustain crossfading, normal, and fast Performance glissando, up Marcato normal and fast Speed controller

**Matrix switches:** Horizontal: Speed, 3 zones Vertical: Modwheel, 3 zones

	H1	H2	H3
legato	sustain XF	normal	fast
glissando up	%	%	%
marcato	normal	normal	fast

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**RAM: 103 MB** 

**RAM: 39 MB** 

**RAM: 71 MB** 

RAM: 35 MB

**RAM: 72 MB** 

**RAM: 38 MB** 

Samples: 1659

Samples: 630

Samples: 1148

Samples: 562

Samples: 1155

Samples: 608

### 02 SX-Bs Perf-Trill Speed

Multi interval performances Legato with vibrato, trills

Legato vibrato with bend release, trills with bend release

Glissandos, trills Speed controller

**Matrix switches:** Horizontal: Speed, 2 zones

Vertical: Modwheel, 3 zones

	H1	H2
V1	legato vib.	trills
V2	legato vib. bends	trill bends
V3	glissando	trills

03 SX-Bs Short+Long notes - All

Single notes

Staccato, portato short, portato medium

Sustained with vibrato

**Matrix switches:** Horizontal: Keyswitches, C6–D#6

	C6	C#6	D6	D#6
V1	staccato	port. short	port. medium	sus. vibrato

### Matrix - LEVEL 2 B - Standard

### 11 SX-Bs Perf-Legato Speed

Performance legato with sustain crossfading, with vibrato, and fast

Speed controller

**Matrix switches:** Horizontal: Speed, 3 zones

	H1	H2	H3
legato	sustain XF	vibrato	fast

### 12 SX-Bs Perf-Marcato Speed

Interval performances^mMarcato normal and fast

Speed controller

Matrix switches: Horizontal: Speed, 2 zones

H1		H2	
Marcato	normal	fast	

### 13 SX-Bs Perf-Glissando Speed

Performance glissando, legato with vibrato, and legato fast

Speed controller

Matrix switches: Horizontal: Speed, 3 zones

	H1	H2	H3
V1	glissando	legato vibrato	legato fast

### 14 SX-Bs Short notes - All

Single notes

Staccato, portato short, portato medium, and slap **Matrix switches:** Horizontal: Keyswitches, C6–D#6

	C6	C#6	D6	D#6
V1	staccato	port. short	port. med.	slap

**RAM: 10 MB** 

RAM: 8 MB

RAM: 9 MB

Samples: 168

Samples: 141

Samples: 150

### 15 SX-Bs Dynamics Samples: 390 RAM: 24 MB

**Dynamics** 

Medium crescendo and diminuendo with vibrato, 4 and 5 sec.

Strong crescendo and diminuendo with vibrato, 3 and 5 sec.

Medium crescendo and diminuendo without vibrato, 2 and 3 sec.

Crescendo-diminuendo with vibrato, 3 and 5 sec.

Fortepiano and sforzato with vibrato

**Matrix switches:** Horizontal: Keyswitches, C6–C#6 Vertical: Modwheel, 5 zones

	C6	C#6
medium dyn. vib.	4 sec.	5 sec.
strong dyn. vib.	3 sec.	5 sec.
med.dyn. no vib.	2 sec.	3 sec.
pfp vib.	3 sec.	5 sec.
fp/sfz vib.	fp	sfz

### 16 SX-Bs Trills - normal

Trills

Normal and dynamics Half and whole tone

**Matrix switches:** Horizontal: Keyswitches, C6–C#6 Vertical: Modwheel, 2 zones

	C6	C#6
half tone	normal	dynamics
whole tone	normal	dynamics

### 17 SX-Bs Trills - accelerando

Trills accelerando Normal and dynamics Half and whole tone

**Matrix switches:** Horizontal: Keyswitches, C6–C#6 Vertical: Modwheel, 2 zones

	C6	C#6
half tone	normal	dynamics
whole tone	normal	dynamics

18 SX-Bs Trills - All Samples: 309 RAM: 19 MB

Trills constant speed and accelerando Normal and dynamics Half and whole tone

**Matrix switches:** Horizontal: Keyswitches, C6–D#6

Vertical: Modwheel, 2 zones

	C6	C#6	D6	D#6
half tone	normal	dynamics	accelerando	acc. dynamics
whole tone	normal	dynamics	accelerando	acc. dynamics

### 19 SX-Bs Bends - sus

Sustained notes with vibrato Normal and with bend release

Matrix switches: Vertical: Modwheel, 2 zones

	H1
V1	sus. vib.
V2	sus. vib. bend RS

**RAM: 43 MB** 

**RAM: 43 MB** 

RAM: 2 MB

**RAM: 36 MB** 

Samples: 690

Samples: 690

Samples: 36

Samples: 582

20 SX-Bs Bends - Perf Samples: 825 RAM: 51 MB

Interval performances: Legato, glissando, and marcato

Normal and with bend release

**Matrix switches:** Horizontal: Keyswitches, C6–D6 Vertical: Modwheel, 2 zones

	C6	C#6	D6
normal	legato	glissando	marcato
bend RS	%	%	%

### Matrix - LEVEL 2 C - Repetitions

### 31 SX-Bs Perf-Repetitions - Combi

Repetition performances Legato, portato, and staccato

**Matrix switches:** Horizontal: Keyswitches, C6–D6

	C6	C#6	D6
V1	legato	portato	staccato

### 32 SX-Bs Perf-Repetitions - Speed

Repetition performances Legato, portato, and staccato Speed controller

Matrix switches: Horizontal: Speed, 3 zones

	H1	H2	H3
V1	legato	portato	staccato

### Matrix - LEVEL 2 D - Scale+Phrase

### 41 SX-Bs Scale runs-legato - Special

Octave runs, legato, chromatic and whole tone

AB switch up/down

Matrix switches: Vertical: Modwheel, 2 zones

	legato				
V1	chromatic				
V2	whole tone				

### 42 SX-Bs Grace notes - All

Grace notes, minor 2nd to octave

AB switch up/down

Matrix switches: Horizontal: Keyswitches, C6–B6

	C6	C#6	D6	D#6	E6	F6	F#6	G6	G#6	A6	A#6	B6
interval	min. 2nd	maj. 2nd	min. 3rd	maj. 3rd	4th	dim. 5th	5th	min. 6th	maj. 6th	min. 7th	maj. 7th	octave

RAM: 4 MB

RAM: 8 MB

RAM: 8 MB

**RAM: 16 MB** 

RAM: 4 MB

RAM: 8 MB

RAM: 8 MB

Samples: 75

Samples: 135

Samples: 135

Samples: 270

Samples: 75

Samples: 135

Samples: 135

### Matrix - LEVEL 2 E - Keyswitch Vel

71 SX-Bs Legato - cre5

Legato notes: Crescendo, keyswitch velocity Keyswitches control 5 dynamic steps

**Matrix switches:** Horizontal: Keyswitches, C6–E6

	C6	C#6	D6	D#6	E6
velocity	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th

72 SX-Bs Portato - cre9

Portato notes: Crescendo, keyswitch velocity Keyswitches control 9 dynamic steps

**Matrix switches:** Horizontal: Keyswitches, C6–G#6

	C6	C#6	D6	D#6	E6	F6	F#6	G6	G#6
velocity	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th

73 SX-Bs Staccato - cre9

Staccato notes: Crescendo, keyswitch velocity

Keyswitches control 9 dynamic steps

Matrix switches: Horizontal: Keyswitches, C6–G#6

	C6	C#6	D6	D#6	E6	F6	F#6	G6	G#6
velocity	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th

74 SX-Bs Combi - cre9

Portato and staccato: Crescendo, keyswitch velocity

Keyswitches control 9 dynamic steps

**Matrix switches:** Horizontal: Keyswitches, C6–G#6 Vertical: Modwheel, 2 zones

	C6	C#6	D6	D#6	E6	F6	F#6	G6	G#6
portato	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th
staccato	1st	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%

75 SX-Bs Legato - dim5

Legato notes: Diminuendo, keyswitch velocity

Keyswitches control 5 dynamic steps

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	C6	C#6	D6	D#6	E6							
velocity	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th							

76 SX-Bs Portato - dim9

Portato notes: Diminuendo, keyswitch velocity

Keyswitches control 9 dynamic steps

**Matrix switches:** Horizontal: Keyswitches, C6–G#6

	C6	C#6	D6	D#6	E6	F6	F#6	G6	G#6
velocity	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th

77 SX-Bs Staccato - dim9

Staccato notes: Diminuendo, keyswitch velocity

Keyswitches control 9 dynamic steps

**Matrix switches:** Horizontal: Keyswitches, C6–G#6

	C6	C#6	D6	D#6	E6	F6	F#6	G6	G#6
velocity	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th

**RAM: 16 MB** 

Samples: 270

### 78 SX-Bs Combi - dim9

Portato and staccato: Diminuendo, keyswitch velocity

Keyswitches control 9 dynamic steps

**Matrix switches:** Horizontal: Keyswitches, C6–G#6

Vertical: Modwheel, 2 zones

	C6	C#6	D6	D#6	E6	F6	F#6	G6	G#6
portato	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th
staccato	1st	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%

### **Presets**

### SX-Bs VSL Preset Level 1

L1 SX-Bs\_Perf-Legato Speed

L1 SX-Bs\_Articulation Combi

L1 SX-Bs\_Perf-Repetitions Combi

Preset keyswitches: C7-D7

### SX-Bs VSL Preset Level 2

01 SX-Bs Perf-Universal

02 SX-Bs Perf-Trill Speed

L1 SX-Bs Articulation Combi

31 SX-Bs Perf-Repetitions - Combi

74 SX-Bs Combi - cre9

19 SX-Bs Bends - sus

Preset keyswitches: C7–F7

Samples: 2460

**RAM: 153 MB** 

Samples: 3954

**RAM: 247 MB**